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2003-05 Budget Bill Statutory Language Drafting Request

- Topic: Special Education Categorical Aid
- Tracking Code: ~~BB015~~ BB0152
- SBO team: Education, Workforce, and Local Government
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- Agency acronym: DPI
- Agency number: 255

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
2005-07 BIENNIAL BUDGET
DRAFTING REQUEST TO THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

☒ Draft for Possible 2005-07 Budget Bill Introduction (*Agency Decision Item No. 5501*)

Subject: Special Education Categorical Aid

Request Date: September 15, 2004

Agency Contact: Brian Pahnke, 267-9124
Michael Bormett, 266-2804

Brief Description of Intent:

The department is requesting a statutory change that would permit guidance counselors to be included as an eligible category for cost reimbursement under special education categorical aid.

Related Stat. Citations:

Amend s. 115.88 (1), Wis. Stats., to include school guidance counselors as a class of personnel eligible for special education categorical aid.

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- 1 AN ACT ~~to amend~~ 115.88 (1) and 115.88 (1m) (am) of the statutes; relating to:
- 2 making the salaries of licensed school counselors who provide services to pupils
- 3 in special education programs eligible for state aid. ✓

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law authorizes the employment of teachers, school social workers, school psychologists, and coordinators of special education, who are licensed by the Department of Public Instruction, for a special education program operated by a school board, cooperative educational service agency, county children with disabilities education board, or independent charter school. The salaries of these employees are eligible for reimbursement by the state through special education aid.

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This bill allows the employment of licensed school counselors for special education programs and provides that the cost of their salaries is eligible for reimbursement through special education aid.

For further information see the *local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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SECTION 3. Initial applicability.

(1) This act first applies to state aid distributed in the ~~2004-05~~ ²⁰⁰⁵⁻⁰⁶ school year.

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The treatment of section 115088 (i) and (1m) (am)

CS SPECIAL EDUCATION AID FOR SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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Date: January 13, 2005

To: Peter Grant

From: Amanda Rogers

Subject: DPI – Special education aid reimbursement for school counselors - amendment

Please amend LRB draft 05-0395/1 as follows:

- Guidance counselors should be eligible for reimbursement starting in FY07.

If you have any questions about this change, please let me know.

Thanks!
Amanda

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